

## House Resolution No. 2996

**Whereas**, fifty years ago on June 7, 1958, Jerome Lawrence Zerrer took the hand of his beautiful bride, Mary Jane Winkelmann, as they began their commitment to a lifetime of shared love and devotion by exchanging wedding vows during a solemn ceremony at St. Michael the Archangel in St. Louis, Missouri; and

**Whereas**, in the years since that heavenly day, Jerome and Mary Zerrer have had the pleasure of raising eleven children, Jerome Lawrence Zerrer, Joseph Michael Zerrer, John Robert Zerrer, James Bernard Zerrer, William Henry Zerrer, Robert Francis Zerrer, Mary Jane Marre, Thomas Martin Zerrer, Theodore Daniel Zerrer, Kathryn Ann Schormann, and Clementine Marie Zerrer, and the privilege of spoiling twenty-two grandchildren, Casey Thompson, Amber Stanek, Chelsea Zerrer, Karlea Zerrer, Tim Fry, John "Johnny" Zerrer, Jon Webb, James Webb, Ashley Zerrer, Heather Zerrer, Erika Zerrer, Amanda Zerrer, Branden Zerrer, Samantha Marre, Tanner Marre, Ryan Zerrer, Leah Zerrer, Jersey Zerrer, Parker Zerrer, DJ Schormann, Steven Schormann, and Cole Zerrer, and four great-grandchildren, Bryson Stanek, Duane Thompson, Kobe Fry, and Kinley Fry; and

**Whereas**, Jerome Zerrer is known as a dedicated family man who generously provided his loved ones with a comfortable home and secure future through his successful endeavors as a line worker at General Motors, from which he is now retired; and

**Whereas**, a devoted wife, loving mother, and outstanding homemaker, Mary Zerrer offered her children boundless emotional support, guidance, and understanding which enhanced their lives in countless ways and enabled them to become responsible citizens with families of their own; and

**Whereas**, Jerome and Mary Zerrer have also enjoyed recognition by being members of the Sacred Heart Catholic Church in Troy, the Knights of Columbus, St. Vincent De Paul, St. Ann's Sodality, and the Ladies Auxiliary, and by being active in Cursillo, Handicap Encounter Christ, and Residents Encounter Christ; and

**Whereas**, Mr. and Mrs. Zerrer, residents of Troy, will commemorate the glorious occasion of their Golden Wedding Anniversary with a special celebration on May 17, 2008, at the Knights of Columbus:

**Now, therefore, be it resolved** that we, the members of the Missouri House of Representatives, Ninety-fourth General Assembly, join in extending our most hearty congratulations to Jerome and Mary Zerrer for their tremendous success in achieving a half century of wedded bliss and in wishing them only the best as they continue their journey walking hand-in-hand along life's path; and

**Be it further resolved** that the Chief Clerk of the Missouri House of Representatives be instructed to prepare a properly inscribed copy of this resolution for Mr. and Mrs. Jerome Lawrence Zerrer.

Offered by \_\_\_\_\_  
Representative Ed Schieffer  
District No. 11

I, Rod Jetton, Speaker of the House of Representatives, Ninety-fourth General Assembly, Second Regular Session, do certify that the above is a true and correct copy of House Resolution No. 2996, adopted May 13, 2008.

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Rod Jetton, Speaker